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BEFORE THE POSTAL REGULATORY COMMISSION WASHINGTON, D.C. 20268-0001

COMPETITIVE PRODUCT PRICES
PRIORITY MAIL CONTRACT 291 (MC2017-85)
NEGOTIATED SERVICE AGREEMENT

Docket No. CP2017-114

USPS NOTICE OF EXTENSION OF PRIORITY MAIL CONTRACT 291 (February 7, 2018)

The Postal Service hereby provides notice that the parties have mutually agreed, pursuant to Section IV of Priority Mail Contract 291, to extend the contract until May 16, 2018, which is the first of two ninety-day periods contemplated by the contract's terms. Preparation of a successor contract is active and the parties expect to reach an agreement over the coming weeks. Thus, the parties have agreed to extend Priority Mail Contract 291 through May 16, 2018. This extension will not materially affect the cost coverage of Priority Mail Contract 291. Therefore, the supporting financial documentation and financial certification previously provided in this docket remain applicable.

Respectfully submitted,

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